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Ground breaking exercises Sunday afternoon at the sight of the new central grade school with C. Carlton Kimball, chairman of the school building committee turning the first sod. Left to right; Attorney Anna M. Greeley, member of the school committee; Miss Catherine M. Barrett, principal of the central grade schools; Chairman Gordon L. Colquhoun of the school committee, also a member of the building committee; school committee secretary, William A. Doherty; general contractor, Walter L. Ritchie; John L. Dugan, Superintendent of Schools Kenneth L. Sherman, a member of the building committee; Herbert P. Carter, member of the building committee and former member of the school committee; Walter V. Demers, president of the Greater Lawrence chamber of commerce; Harold T. Houston, member of

the building committee and former member of the school committee; Charles J. Flanagan, custodian of the Shawsheen school; Stanley F. Swanton, member of the building committee and the town finance committee; Robert V. Deyermund, custodian of the central grade schools; Mrs. Edward J. Dowd, teacher at the central grade schools; Selectman Roy E. Hardy, member of the building committee; Frederick C. Smith, former chairman of the school committee; Dr. Malcolm B. McTernan, former member of the school committee; William W. Hussey, superintendent for the contractor; Atty. Vincent F. Stulgis, former member of the school committee; Linda Stulgis and Mrs. Adeline Wright, teacher at the central grade schools.

(Look Photo)

## Ground Broken For New Schools

Ground was broken for the two new elementary schools Sunday afternoon in brief and informal exercises held at the Bartlett street and West Andover sites.

The ceremonies, postponed from Saturday morning on account of rain, were attended by members of the school building committee, the school committee and a large group of teachers.

Supt. Kenneth L. Sherman of the school department opened the exercises on the site of the new 18-room structure and called upon Charles C. Kimball, chairman of the school building committee for a few remarks. He was followed by Miss Catherine M. Barrett, principal of the central grade schools, who spoke in behalf of the teaching staff, expressing appreciation to the town and the committee for the new building which will be erected.

Mr. Kimball then turned over the first sod using a blue and gold shovel that had been presented by the Pitman Estate for the occasion.

The group then proceeded to the West Andover site where  
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## Andover Girl Talks Before Optical Society

When Dr. Leonard Carmichael, Tufts president, recently opened a meeting of the Tufts Engineering school faculty, he addressed the group by saying, "Miss McCarthy and gentlemen."

A diminutive Andover girl who looks more as if she still might be a Jackson college undergraduate—Miss Kathryn A. McCarthy of 26 High st., Andover, holds the distinction of being the only woman member of the Tufts Engineering school faculty.

In addition to being instructor in physics, and giving introductory courses and advanced courses in physics, such as those in the  
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## Central Grade Schools To Have Single Sessions

### Swanton Heads Housing Board

Stanley F. Swanton was elected chairman of the Andover Housing authority when that body held its organization meeting recently.

Ernest W. Hall was elected vice chairman, Winthrop Newcomb, treasurer, Franklin K. Haggerty assistant treasurer, and Charles G. Hatch, the fifth member, retains his designation as member. Mr. Haggerty was elected in March to fill the vacancy caused by the withdrawal of Douglas P. Crockett, former chairman who did not seek another term.

The authority in its second annual report notes that 56 families of Andover veterans are now happily living in adequate homes at the Morton street site.

Only two of the original tenants moved out since the opening last  
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The central grade schools will be put on one session a day during the construction of the new central school building.

This action was taken by the school committee Tuesday night on suggestion of Miss Catherine M. Barrett, principal, and the teachers of the school as a matter of safety for the children.

With bull-dozers and other construction equipment in operation it was felt that the single session from 9 to 12.30 p. m., would eliminate the long noon hour when children might be playing about the area, and would also mean that the children would have to skirt the dangerous area only twice a day instead of four times.

After hearing the reasons presented by Miss Barrett the committee voted to empower the superintendent to put such a plan into operation.

On recommendation of Headmaster Harold Howe 2nd the committee voted to elect Miss Elizabeth Alice Stoneham of Exeter, N.H., as school librarian in charge of both the Punchard and Junior High libraries. Miss Stoneham is now librarian at the Bates college library. Her salary will be \$3250 a year.

Mrs. Anna F. Walsh and Miss Mary T. Donahue, special class teachers, appeared before the board regarding a \$500 salary increase available through state funds for special class teachers. Action was deferred until the next meeting.

## Scouts Hold Fifth Annual Scout - O - Ral

About 125 boys and leaders participated in the fifth annual scout-o-ral held Saturday afternoon at the Case memorial cage, Phillips academy.

The program opened at 1.30 p. m. when the boys lined up in their various units and marched to the center of the area for the opening exercises.

The opening prayer was offered by the Rev. Levering Reynolds Jr., troop 72 committeeman, followed by the salute to the flag led by Arnold Schofield, district com-

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## Free Dog Clinic Opens Saturday

The 16th annual free dog clinic for inoculation against rabies will be held four consecutive Saturdays from 9 a. m. to noon at the following places: Apr. 7, central fire station; Apr. 14, Ballardvale fire house; Apr. 21, Main Street garage, Shawsheen; Apr. 28, central fire station.

This annual free dog clinic is conducted under the auspices of the Andover board of health and, as usual, Dr. Ray S. Youmans will be in charge.

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## New Building Continues Brisk

Building permits for the month of March have boosted the total estimated value of new construction for the first three months of the year well over that of 1950 when Andover experienced one of its greatest building booms.

For new building the March estimate was \$93,550, and for additions and alterations \$8,000, a total of \$101,550, according to the records of Building Inspector Ralph W. Coleman. This makes the three-months total for this year \$267,500 as compared with the 1950 three-month total of \$201,610. The 1951 figures do not include the two new school buildings.  
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### RETURNS TO COLLEGE

Dorothy Ann Caspar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick G. Caspar, 22 William St., Shawsheen, has returned to her studies at Skidmore college, Saratoga Springs, N. Y. after spending the Easter vacation at home. Miss Caspar, a senior, is on the dean's list at the New York school.

### CDA MEETING

The monthly meeting of the Catholic Daughters of America will be held Monday, Apr. 9, at 8 p. m. in St. Augustine's school hall.

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### Commuters' Column

#### Frogs and Cow-Catchers

I have a literary friend who sometimes rides the morning train with me.

"You know," he said one day as we were settling into our seat, "seeing the locomotive pull in just now reminded me of H. L. Mencken."

"Mencken? You mean the writer and critic?"

"That's the one. I was reading a book of his last night and he had some mighty interesting things to say about the differences between the English language and what he calls the 'American' language."

"Well, how did this locomotive remind you of that?" I asked.

"It was something he said about railroading here and in England — the terms that are used. And it shows you how much more picturesque and imaginative we are than they are, when it comes to naming things. For example, the English call a switch frog a 'crossing plate' — and, if you can believe it, they call a cow-catcher a 'plow'!"

"Whew! I feel kind of sorry

for people as literal-minded as that!" I remarked.

"I suppose England was already pretty highly populated and civilized when railroading began there," said my friend. "The locomotive probably did more snow ploughing than cow-catching. But over here it was different — especially out in the west. That's where the word cow-catcher really must have meant something!"

This observation set us off on a discussion of the opening of the west — and by the time we reached the North Station we were realizing once again what a tremendous part railroads have played in the development and progress of our country. Not only do their lines today link all the continent together, and provide our nation with economical freight and passenger service, but lines like the B and M, located in areas of concentrated population, provide in addition low-cost, dependable transportation for many thousands of contented commuters. (Adv.)



Herbert P. Carter, member of the school building committee, turning over the first sod in ground breaking exercises for the new West Center school. In the group, from left to right, are John M. MacKenzie, former member of the school committee; Supt. of Schools Kenneth L. Sherman, member of the building committee; school committee secretary, William A. Doherty; John L. Dugan, General Contractor Walter L. Ritchie; Charles J. Flanagan, custodian of the Shawsheen school; William W. Hussey, construction superintendent for the general contractor; Mrs. Flanagan, Dr. Malcolm B. McTernan, former member of the school committee; Mr. Carter turning the sod; Miss Dorothy

Kyle, principal of the Indian Ridge school; Jack Anderson, Selectman Roy E. Hardy, member of the building committee; Mrs. Sherman, Robert V. Deymond, custodian of the central grade schools; Harold T. Pouston, member of the building committee; Chairman C. Carlton Kimball of the building committee; Miss Catherine M. Barrett, principal of the central grade schools; Miss Mary E. Burke, teacher in the central grade schools; Gordon L. Colquhoun, chairman of the school committee and a member of the building committee; Mrs. Adeline Wright and Miss Cynthia Noone, teachers at the central grade schools.

(Look Photo)

### Andover Girl Addresses Group

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analysis of fundamental problems in statics and dynamics and on the theory of heat, she is also doing important research work in Tufts physics laboratories on the subject of optical crystals.

Recently she gave a paper concerning her Tufts research on "New Data on the Thermal Conductivity of Synthetic Optical Crystals," at a meeting of the Optical Society of America in Washington, D. C. The society met in the nation's capital in March, holding its meeting in conjunction with the 50th anniversary of the establishment of the bureau of standards.

Dr. Stanley S. Dallard, chairman of the Tufts Physics department, who is vice president of the International Commission of Optics, an affiliate of the International Union of Pure and Applied Physics, and chairman of the United States National committee of the ICO, was "junior author" and Miss McCarthy "senior author" of the paper which she read before top U. S. optical scientists. The young Andover physicist is quite proud of the aforesaid co-authorship arrangement in which she had priority.

A graduate of Tufts in the class of 1945, Miss McCarthy received a master of science degree in physics from Tufts in 1946, the year she received her graduate degree. At that time she was the youngest member of the Tufts faculty.

#### REALTY TRANSFERS

Town of Andover (tax redemption) to S. Jennie Mears et al, off Burr rd.

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Irving G. Clark et ux to Robert G. Barenboim et alii, Park st.

Robert M. Maitland et ux to Albert Cole et ux, Foster circle.

Americo J. Fusco to Edwin E. Leidich et ux, Summer st.

Irving G. Clark et ux to Robert G. Barenboim et alii, Bartlet and Park st.

Sidney P. White to John Doyle, Reservation rd.

Joanna C. Downing Foster et alii to Irene D. Morin, Summer st.

Trs. of Phillips academy to Emory Basford, Holt rd.

### Ground Broken For New Schools

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ground for the new six-room structure on the old Carter farm property on Beacon street was turned over by Herbert P. Carter, member of the building committee.

The school building committee last week awarded the contract for the new buildings to the Walter L. Ritchie Co. of Malden. The contract price totalled \$1,037,816 which represented \$674,310 for the central school and \$363,506 for the West Center school.

Work on the new buildings will be started very soon. It is expected that the school in the West district will be completed by Apr. 1, 1952, and the central by Aug. 1, 1952, so that both will be ready for occupancy by September, 1952.

Among others attending the ceremonies Sunday were Gordon L. Colquhoun, chairman of the school committee and a member of the building committee; William A. Doherty, secretary of the school committee; Atty. Anna M. Greeley of the school committee; Roy E. Hardy, Stanley F. Swanton and Harold T. Houston, members of the building committee; Walter L. Ritchie, general contractor, and William W. Hussey, who will be superintendent of the projects.

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### November Club To Hold Fashion Show

Plans have been completed for a delightful afternoon program on Tuesday, Apr. 10, for the members of the November club and their friends when a spring and summer fashion show will be presented at the clubhouse by the Michael Jays shop.

Mrs. Alberts of Boston will be the commentator. There will be professional models from Boston as well as some members of the club. Members modeling are Mrs. Charles Currier, Mrs. William Edwards, Mrs. George Glennie, Mrs. Leslie Joliffe and Mrs. Walter Tomlinson.

Tea will be served. Tickets may be obtained from the Michael Jays shop and from members of the ways and means committee.

Mrs. Preston H. Blake, Mrs. Jacob A. Vandenberg, Mrs. Andrew J. Lloyd, Mrs. George B. Westhaver, Mrs. Kenneth G. Penwell, Mrs. Dino G. Valz, Mrs. Harold T. Godfrey, Mrs. Herbert H. Veit, Mrs. Edwards C. Nichols, Mrs. Francis J. Rodericks and Mrs. Robert Sjostrom.

### Engagements

#### Williams-Machon

Mr. and Mrs. Norman H. Machon of Easthampton, formerly of Andover, announce the engagement of their daughter Lolita Jane Machon to Robert Penn Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Williams of Bristol, N. H., formerly of Dorchester.

Miss Machon attended the Andover schools and is a graduate of the Northampton School for Girls. She is now attending the University of New Hampshire.

Mr. Williams, a graduate of Tayer academy, attended the University of Brunswick and is now a student at the University of New Hampshire.

#### Clement-Barnard

Mrs. Foster Carnes Barnard has announced the engagement of her daughter, Barbara Ann, to Gordon Emil Clement, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Scott Clement of Wake Forest, N. C.

Miss Barnard, daughter of the late Mr. Barnard, attended Abbot academy, and graduated from Oak Grove school, and Centenary Junior college with the class of 1949.

Mr. Clement attended the American High school in Mexico City, and Phillips academy. He graduated from New Hampton school, and Nichols Junior college.

Marietta B. Amy, 4 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald L. Amy, 35 Elm st. has recovered from a recent illness of several weeks.

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## Aided Red Cross In Blood Program

Much of the success of the recent visit of the bloodmobile to Andover chapter was due to the effective work of the registration committee which scheduled appointments of prospective donors, sent out their appointment cards and worked out other essential details for the smooth functioning of the program.

The nursing groups, the staff aides and canteen groups had their share in the successful operation of the affair and which has aided Andover chapter in having the honor of being cited for exceptional efficiency in volunteer service to the state Red Cross blood program.

Included in these groups are the following:

Registration committee: Mrs. Harold Johnson, chairman; Mrs. Ruth Eveleth, Mrs. Foster C. Barnard.

Nursing assistance: Mrs. Charles A. Gregory, chairman; nurses: Mrs. Archie A. Gunn, Mrs. Dino G. Valz, Mrs. Foster C. Barnard, Mrs. Walter C. Wilson, Mrs. Wilson Knipe Jr., Mrs. Charles O. McCullom, Mrs. C. Douglas Glennie, Mrs. Arthur L. Gilman, Mrs. Fred Eastman.

Nurse's aides: Mrs. Harvey G. Turner, Mrs. Herbert F. Allicon, Mrs. E. Francis Leland.

Volunteer helpers: Mrs. Robert B. Hatton, Mrs. Harry K. Donovan, Mrs. Eugene V. Lovely, Mrs. Harry E. Clough.

Staff aides: Mrs. Henry G. Tyer, chairman; Mrs. Heinrich Rohrbach, Mrs. Alex Henderson, Mrs. Philip Churchill, Mrs. John S. Moses.

Canteen: Mrs. Charles D. McDuffie, chairman; Mrs. Robert D. Mayo, Miss Margaret Selden, Mrs. J. R. Abbot, Mrs. Frank Crawford, Mrs. George F. Bushway, Mrs.

Scott Paradise, Mrs. John Barss, Mrs. Julius Rockwell, Mrs. Walter E. Billings, Mrs. Bernard H. Capen, Mrs. Frederick Flather, Miss Dickie Thiras, Miss Nickie Thiras, Miss Agnes Dugan, Mrs. Arthur B. Glines, Mrs. Sherwood W. Kelley, Mrs. Gorham W. Lee, Mrs. C. C. Lewis, Miss Gertrude E. McDonnell, Mrs. Will G. Brown, Mrs. Elbert Weaver, Miss Margaret Curran, Mrs. Otto Escholz, Miss Beatrice Henderson, Miss Madeleine Hewes, Miss Agnes Deyermond, Miss Ruth Saunders, Miss Bertha

## TRAFFIC BLINKER DAMAGED

The traffic blinker in Shaw-sheen square was knocked from its foundation when struck by an auto about 2.55 a. m. Sunday. According to Andover police Cedric A. Perry of Lawrence, operator of the car, reported he was operating north on Main street and dozed at the wheel when the accident happened. He was unhurt.

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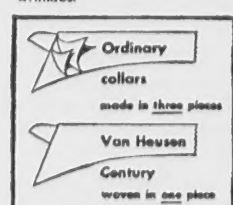
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## MARRIAGE RETURN

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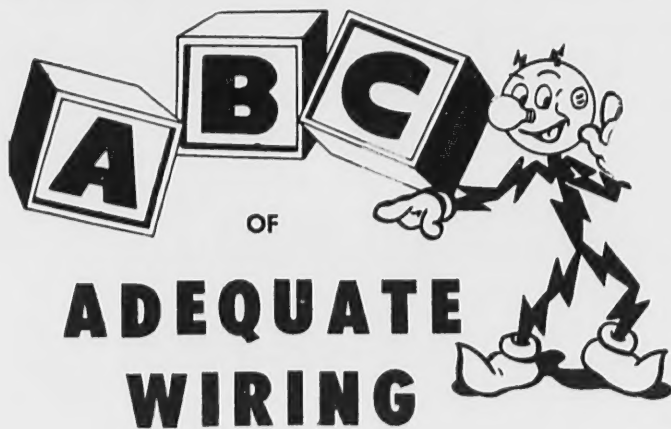
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### Literature Department

The last meeting of the literature department of the Shawsheen Village Woman's club will be held at the Andover Inn at 10 a. m. Wednesday, Apr. 11. Mrs. Lewis Putnam will review current books. Morning coffee will be served and members are urged to bring guests. As is customary at the final meeting, many of the members and their guests will stay to enjoy lunch at the Inn.

### Preservation of Antiques

The antique department of the S. V. W. C. will meet at the Historical House at 2 p. m. Friday, Apr. 13. Ray Bulger will be the speaker and he will speak on, and show views of historic Nova Scotia.

### Shawsheen PTA

The pupils and teachers at the Shawsheen school are concentrating every effort on the program which they will present at the PTA meeting at 1 p. m. Wednesday, Apr. 11. A welcome will be given by Lynne Cotter following which the kindergarten will present the "Easter Parade." Then the first and second grades will present the operetta "The Elves and the Shoemaker," followed by a second operetta "Cinderella's Slipper" presented by grades 3, 4, 5 and 6.

The stage managers will be Rolf Halbach, John Tombarelli and Peter O'Toole. All the teachers, assisted by Mrs. Frank McArdle, music director, have worked hard with their young charges, and the program promises to be as successful as all their efforts in past years have proved to be.

### Woman's Club

The regular meeting of the Shawsheen Village Woman's club was held in the school hall Monday evening. The report of the nominating committee was read and the following officers were nominated to be elected at the annual meeting in May; President, Mrs. Walter Caswell; vice-presidents, Mrs. G. Edgar Best and Mrs. William Thompson; recording secretary, Mrs. Wallace Fiedler; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Raymond Pearl; treasurer, Mrs. Carleton Shulze; directors, Mrs. Wilfred Dwyer, Mrs. Norman Miller, Mrs. Gilbert Cate and Mrs. Jack Barry.

David Tutaev, director of the Tributary theater in Boston, was the speaker of the evening. Mr. Tutaev has studied the theater in England and on the continent. He spoke to the group on the development of the theater from its primitive beginning, through the Greek open air theater, the Roman theater, the theater of Shakespeare and the modern theater of today.

Miss Beatrice MacKenzie, accompanied by Mrs. Therese Mahoney Donovan, thrilled her audience with a delightful group of songs. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Frank Himmer and Mrs. Donald Kent and their committee of hostesses and Mrs. Walter Wilson Jr., poured the coffee.

### Personals

Charles Koza, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Child, 8 Sterling st., has been spending the Easter vacation at his home. He is a senior at Bridgton academy, Maine.

Derry Lewis, a student at Kimball Union academy, Meriden, N. H., has been spending the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Lewis, 1 Sherbourne st.

### BREAK IN CAMP

Police are investigating a break in a camp on the Shawsheen river at Lowell Junction owned by Ray Pearson of Lexington, in which tools and cutlery were stolen. Investigators believe two breaks were made in the place last week. Both a door and a window were broken.

### OPENS INSURANCE OFFICE

Miss Elinor F. Cole, who was employed several years with the Andover Townsman before entering the field of real estate in 1949, has opened her own insurance agency in Marblehead. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Cole of West Boxford.

### PLAN HOBBY SHOW

A hobby show, sponsored by the Woman's union, will be held afternoon and evening, Monday, May 21. All those interested may exhibit hobbies by contacting Miss Grace Lake. Tea and coffee will be

## BPW Resurfaces School Parking Lot

The grading and resurfacing of the large parking area in the rear of the Junior high school has just been completed by the board of public works.

"This has greatly improved a very bad condition which has existed there for a long time," Supt. Sherman explained in looking over the area yesterday. The school superintendent further pointed out that the spot had been particularly bad in rainy weather, a condition which the many loads of gravel spread there by BPW employees has eliminated.

"This is an excellent example of the cooperation between town departments," Mr. Sherman remarked as he noted the work was done at a low cost, much lower than it could have been done if the school department had let it out by contract.

### STUDENTS' BAZAAR

Many features will be introduced to entertain patrons of the two-day bazaar and festival which the students of Pynchard and the Junior high schools will sponsor in the central school buildings Apr. 13 and 14.

A variety of articles will be offered for sale at the numerous booths. Card games, lunches and other entertainment will be available. Funds raised by the bazaar will be used to support many extra school activities not provided for in the school budget.

The following students have been announced as chairmen of committees:

Bessie Christie, Raeburn Hathaway, Constance Coleman, Shirley Murray, Randall Hurley, Richard Hudgins, Robert Erler, Eileen Skeirik, Jean Farrell, George Peters, Louis Hamilton, Monte Peck, Charles McCullom, Ruth Sullivan, Priscilla Tompkins, Charlotte Kelley, Phyllis Thompson, Robert Frederickson, Charles Garabedian, Betty Gigas, Fred Rugg, John Mirisola, Betty Wilson, Richard Sullivan, Alan Douglass, Frank Quint, Barbara Fitzgerald and Raymond Hutchins.

Faculty members assisting on committees include Owen Hinckley, Carl Gahan, Walter Roberts and Miss Lilian Fox.

The annual art exhibition of the pupils of the seventh and eighth grades will be held this year in connection with the bazaar.

A one-dollar gift to the 1951 Cancer Crusade will buy ten test tubes for a scientist seeking new means of cure.

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## Teacher Training To Start April 9

The teacher training course offered by the Andover council of churches will hold its opening session at 7.30 p. m. Monday, Apr. 9, at Free church, Miss Elizabeth Hopkins, who will lead the course on teaching methods will take as her topic for this evening "Leads for Leadership."

During the second hour the Rev. Levering Reynolds Jr., will present a course on "The Synoptic Gospels." In this course the gospels will be compared for their structure pattern and time will be devoted to study of their actual content. Mr. Reynolds, who is minister of Free church, holds the master of the science of theology degree and is at present doing advance study at Harvard Divinity school. He has led several teacher training courses for church school leaders in Lawrence.

Advance registration may be made to Frank Watson, registrar, 27 Marland st., Ballardvale. The program is open to all interested persons, without charge.

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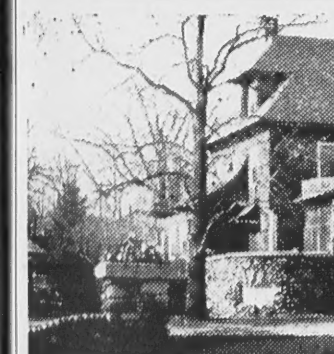


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### Free Church

REV. LEVERING REYNOLDS JR., Minister

FRIDAY: 7 p. m. Boy scout troop 72. 8 p. m. Boy scout committee in the pastor's study.

SATURDAY: 9 a. m. Explorer post 72 will meet at the church to go to Camp Onway for the weekend.

SUNDAY: 9 a. m. Meeting of the board of trustees. 9.30 a. m. Church school. 11 a. m. Nursery class. 11 a. m. Morning worship with sermon by the pastor. 1.30 p. m. The Senior choir of the church will broadcast over a local radio station by transcription. 3 p. m. The Senior choir of the church will sing for the patients in the Lawrence General hospital. 6.30 p. m. The Pilgrim Fellowship will meet in the church parlor.

MONDAY: 7.30 p. m. The first session of the Teacher's Training Institute, sponsored by the Andover Council of Churches.

WEDNESDAY: 7 p. m. The first section of Cub pack 72 will meet for its monthly meeting. 7 p. m. Explorers. 7.30 p. m. October circle meeting at the home of Miss Grace Lake, 127 Main st.

THURSDAY: 10 a. m. Sewing meeting. 3.40 p. m. Junior choir rehearsal. 7 p. m. The second section of Cub pack 72 will hold its monthly pack meeting. 7.30 p. m. Senior choir rehearsal.

### West Parish

REV. JOHN G. GASKILL, Minister

SUNDAY: 10.30 a. m. Children's church service with Priscilla Ball and William Nicoll assisting the pastor. Raymond Paolino and James Clegg, ushers. The adult class, and classes for high school. Junior high school, pre-school age department with excellent teachers. 11 a. m. Morning service of worship. Music by the augmented choir. Sermon by the pastor, "Opportune Moments." 6.30 p. m. The Young People will meet at the Parsonage.

MONDAY: 8 p. m. The Church committee in the parsonage.

TUESDAY: 6.45 p. m. Eager Beavers' 4-H club in the vestry.

WEDNESDAY: 3 p. m. Children's choir rehearsal. Miss Janet Fieldhouse, pianist. 7 p. m. Augmented choir rehearsal.

THURSDAY: 6.30 p. m. Junior Woman's guest night dinner meeting.

FRIDAY: 8 p. m. Chimes committee in the vestry.

### Cochran Chapel

REV. A. GRAHAM BALDWIN, Minister

SUNDAY: 11 a. m. Service of worship. Speaker the Rev. Allan K. Chalmers of Boston university.

### Andover Baptist Church

ROY E. NELSON JR., Minister

FRIDAY: 7.45 p. m. Philathea class in the church parlor. Election of officers.

SUNDAY: 9 a. m. Youth choir rehearsal in the church parlor. 9.30 a. m. Church school, carefully graded classes for all ages.

10.45 a. m. Morning service of worship. Sermon by the pastor, Rev. Roy E. Nelson Jr. Anthems by the two vested choirs. All are welcome. 10.45 a. m. Nursery for small children of parents in attendance at the morning service.

6.15 p. m. Baptist Youth Fellowship in the church parlor.

MONDAY: 7.45 p. m. Friendly circle, annual meeting with the election of officers, in the church parlor.

WEDNESDAY: 7.30 p. m. Religious Musical service. Rev. J. William Marson, Minister of Evangelism, Tremont Temple Baptist church, Boston, guest preacher. Sermon: "Christ or—" Mrs. Virginia S. Cochrane, soloist.

THURSDAY: 10 a. m. Woman's union in the church vestry. 8 p. m. Adult choir rehearsal in the church parlor.

### South Church

REV. FREDERICK B. NOSS, Pastor

FRIDAY: 7.15 p. m. Troop 73, Boy scouts.

SUNDAY: 9.30 a. m. Church school and Junior church. 9.30 a. m. High school class. 10.45 a. m. Morning worship and sermon. 10.45 a. m. Church kindergarten. 11.15 a. m. Educational motion pictures. 6 p. m. Young People's society.

MONDAY: 1.15 p. m. Week-Day school of the Christian religion. 6 p. m. The Courteous Circle.

TUESDAY: 7.30 p. m. Bible class at the parsonage. 8 p. m. Ping Pong club.

WEDNESDAY: 7.30 p. m. Church choir.

THURSDAY: 10 a. m. All-Day Sewing of the Friendly Service committee of the Women's Fellowship. 3.30 p. m. Junior choir. 8 p. m. A. P. C. Sorority.

### Christ Church

REV. JOHN S. MOSES, Rector

SUNDAY: 8 a. m. Holy Communion. 9.30 a. m. Sunday school. 11 a. m. Holy Communion and sermon. 11 a. m. Nursery class. 5.45 Young People's Fellowship.

MONDAY: 7.30 p. m. Friendly Guild.

TUESDAY: 5 p. m. Choir rehearsal. 8 p. m. Vestry meeting.

THURSDAY: 10 a. m. Holy Communion. 6.30 p. m. Choir rehearsal.

### Methodist Church

REV. ALLEN F. KERNS, Minister

SUNDAY: 9.30 a. m. Sunday school. 10.30 a. m. Morning worship: sermon, "As We Forgive Them." 3 p. m. Men's club meeting.

MONDAY: 8 p. m. Meeting of the official board.

### Union Congregational Church

REV. PAUL E. CALLAHAN, Minister

FRIDAY: 6.30 p. m. Junior choir practice.

SUNDAY: 9.30 a. m. Sunday school. 11 a. m. Morning worship. "Salvation by Faith." 7 p. m. Pilgrim Fellowship.

WEDNESDAY: 7.30 p. m. Senior choir practice.

### St. Augustine's Church

REV. P. J. CAMPBELL, Pastor

FRIDAY: 7.30 p. m. Novena devotions.

SATURDAY: 4 to 6 p. m. and 7.30 to 9 p. m., Confessions.

SUNDAY, MASSES: 6.30 a. m., 8.30 a. m., 9.45 a. m., and 11.30 a. m.

DAILY MASS: 7.30 a. m.

### Christian Science Society

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SUNDAY: 9.30 a. m. Sunday school. 11 a. m. Church service. Subject of lesson sermon: "Unreality."

## Air Raid Test For April 14, 15

The Eastern air defense command has announced that the next air-ground observer corps test will be held Saturday and Sunday, Apr. 14 and 15.

In preparation for this test, members of the local corps will meet at the civil defense office in the Town House at 7.30 p. m. Wednesday, Apr. 11.

A new location has been selected for the observation post and the code name and number have been changed by order of the air defense headquarters at New York. Further changes have also been made in the aircraft report form and these will be explained at next Wednesday night's meeting. Information will also be given in regard to identification cards and lapel buttons.

This will be an important meeting and all members of the observation corps should be present. There

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## SERVICE CLUB

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## WEDDINGS...

## MONTGOMERY-KIMBALL

In a setting of pine trees and boughs, entirely white flowers and white candles Miss Margaret Gage Kimball became the bride Saturday afternoon of Robert Langford Montgomery Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Montgomery of Simsbury, Ct., at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carleton Kimball, 50 School st.

The 4 o'clock candlelight service was performed by the Rev. John S. Moses of Christ church assisted by the Rev. Allen W. Clark of Danvers. Music was furnished by Mrs. Robert Kreger, pianist, of Exeter, and Mrs. Theodore Ward, violinist, of Andover.

Given in marriage by her father the bride wore an heirloom ivory satin gown with long train and finger veil of illusion net caught onto a cap trimmed with lace worn by her mother, grandmother and great-grandmother, brought from India by her great-grandfather. She carried a bouquet of orchids and stephanotis.

She had Miss Barbara J. French as her maid of honor, and the bridesmaids were Miss Dorothy Fretz of Newtown, Pa., Miss Ann Brownell of Pittsburg, Pa., Mrs. Donald Ferris of Minneapolis, Minn., sister of the bridegroom; and Miss Joy Prothers of Scarsdale,

N. Y. All the attendants wore pale blue marquisette over faille and carried bouquets of sweetheart roses.

Mary Sophia Minard was the flower girl and Julian Minard the page, the former carrying an old fashioned bouquet of pink sweet peas.

Mrs. Kimball, the bride's mother, wore a dinner-length gown of light blue crepe and Mrs. Montgomery, mother of the bridegroom, wore a dinner-length gown of gold lamme.

Richard Soule of Brookline was the best man and the ushers were Anthony Houghton Jr., of Chestnut Hill; Chauncy G. Parker III of Washington, D. C.; David W. Scully of Bryn Mawr, Pa.; Richard Ward Kimball of Andover, brother of the bride, and Roger Brant of Akron, O.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home.

Among the out of town guests were Col. and Mrs. John M. Raymond of Washington, D. C., Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Chandler of Media, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. Grenville Montgomery of Philadelphia, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Rich of Simsbury, Ct., Mrs. Phillips Bradley of Urbana, Ill., Judge and Mrs. Howard Alcorn of Suffield, Ct., Mrs. Leon Foss of Farmington, Ct., Mrs. F. E. Duffy of Hartford, Ct., Mr. and Mrs. John Ellsworth of Simsbury, Ct., Mr. and Mrs. Cleber Campbell of Worcester, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Scherer of Bowie, Md.

A graduate of Abbot academy and a senior at Wellesley college, the bride made her debut in 1948 and is a member of the Junior League. She is the granddaughter of Mrs. Charles W. Ward and the late Mr. Ward.

Mr. Montgomery was graduated from St. Paul's school and Harvard college, class of 1950, and is now attending the Harvard Graduate School of Arts and Sciences. He is a member of the Hasty Pudding-Institute of 1770 and the Delphic club. During World War II he served in the navy.

After a short wedding trip to Canada the couple will live in Wellesley for the present.

## MOLINOSKI-COTE

At a ceremony in St. Augustine's church Sunday at 2 p. m., Miss Jacqueline R. Cote, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Cote of 11 Fletcher st., became the bride of Francis W. Molinoski, U. S. N., son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Molinoski of 231 W. Iowa st., Spring Valley, Ill. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Henry B. Smith, O. S. A. Miss Mary Lanigan was organist, and Miss Theresa Beaudoin soloist.

The bride was escorted to the altar by her father. She wore a white satin gown with imported lace insertion and a fingertip veil, held in place by a white satin skull cap, and carried a prayer book with orchids and streamers of sweet peas.

The attendants had gowns to match the bride's. Mrs. Edward Guy of Lawrence, sister of the bride, as maid of honor wore an orchid colored gown. The bridesmaids, Miss Marion Cote of Andover, another sister of the bride and Miss Joan Mirfield of Lawrence, wore gowns of green and yellow with matching mitts. Their headdresses were of fresh mixed spring flowers and all carried colonial bouquets.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Cote wore a navy blue dress and hat with white accessories and wore an orchid corsage. The bridegroom's mother clad in a rose colored dress with black accessories and an orchid corsage.

Alfred Arsenault of Lawrence was best man.

Out-of-town guests were present from Illinois, New Jersey, Hudson, N. H., Pennsylvania, Somersworth, Dover and Salem, N. H. A reception was held at the Methuen Legion home.

Following a wedding trip to Illinois they will make their home at 11 Fletcher st.

The bride attended the Sacred Heart school and the Essex County Agricultural school, and is a cashier in a Lawrence market. The bridegroom is a graduate of the Immaculate Conception school and the Hall High school of Spring Valley, Ill. He has served three years in the navy and has re-enlisted for six more years.

## GAUDET-ROBICHAUD

Miss Dolores J. Robichaud, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Robichaud of 102 Weare st., Lawrence, became the bride of Joseph A. Gaudet, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gaudet of 20 Topping rd., at a 10 o'clock ceremony Saturday morning at the Sacred Heart church, Lawrence. The Rev. Armand Robichaud of Cherry Meadows, Framingham, officiated. Mrs. Mary Baraco was soloist.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a white satin and lace gown with a panel of lace in the train of the gown, and a headpiece of Chantilly lace with imported French illusion veil. She carried a white iris bouquet with an orchid in the center.

Mrs. Louise Robichaud, maid of honor, wore a dusty pink velvet gown with a full net skirt of white with a white matching headpiece. Her flowers were pink and white roses. Sandra Robichaud, flower girl, wore all white and carried a colonial bouquet with a coronet of fresh flowers.

Mrs. Robichaud, mother of the bride, wore a royal blue suit with a corsage of tea roses, a yellow hat and accessories of navy blue.

Present at the ceremony were guests from Cambridge, Lynn, Manchester, N. H., and Maine.

The bride is a graduate of the Sacred Heart high school, Lawrence. Mr. Gaudet graduated from Pynchard high and is a member of Lawrence council, K. of C.

After a wedding trip to Montreal, Canada, the couple will live at 102 Weare st., Lawrence.

## VALE LIBRARY MOVIES

Grades 1 to 6 in the Vale will have their program at the library branch at 6.30 p. m. Monday, Apr. 9. Older students and adults are invited at 7.30 p. m. for a similar program. These Vale programs have been made possible through the cooperation of the library and the Ballardvale PTA.

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## PERSONALS

Dr. P. J. Look of 115 Main st. is a patient at the New England Baptist hospital, Boston.

1st Lt. William J. Kelly graduated last week from the judge advocate general course taken at the Maxwell air base, Alabama. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Kelly of Holt rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Kaye and family of New Haven spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Robert V. Deyermont, 91 Elm st.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hadley of Wolcott ave., are vacationing in Orlando, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Osborne Sutton of Chestnut st., have returned from a few week's stay in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton D. Shaw of Wildwood rd., have returned from a visit with friends in South Carolina.

Mrs. Ann Bond of Main st., has been visiting friends in Providence, R. I., for a week.

William Doyle has returned to Trinity college in Washington, D. C., after spending the Easter vacation with his parents Mr. and Mrs. William P. Doyle of Foster circle.

Mr. and Mrs. George Whiteneck and daughter, Margaret Rose, of Lawrence, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. George J. Hartman of Elm st.

Mrs. Gertrude Chick of Florence st., has been a recent patient at the Lawrence General hospital suffering a broken arm.

## COURTEOUS CIRCLE

The Courteous Circle of the King's Daughters will meet at 6.30 p. m. Monday, Apr. 9. The supper will be in charge of Mrs. Shaw, devotions in charge of Mrs. Lott. Miss Miriam Putnam will give a book reading, and Miss Jean Murray will be the soloist.

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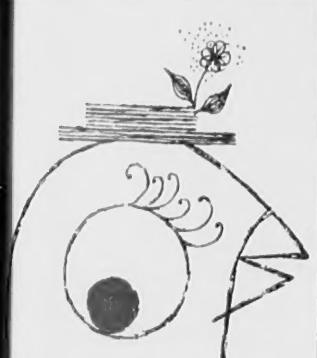
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The funeral of Fred L. Winkley of Lowell st. who died Mar. 31 after a long illness, was held from the Lundgren funeral home Tuesday where the Rev. Nelson Ring-smuth, pastor of the North Tewksbury Baptist church conducted services at 2:30 p.m.

Mr. Winkley was born in Lawrence 33 years ago and was employed as a machinist in the Marland Mills.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Lillian E. (Wallace) Winkley; a daughter, Carol Ann; a sister, Mrs. Donald Kent, all of Andover.

The bearers were Donald Kent, Loring Kew, Warren Hall, Arthur Hodgkins, Clifford Thomson and George Flint.

## MRS. WILLIAM H. FAULKNER

Mrs. Mary E. (Nourse) Faulkner, 82, wife of William H. Faulkner of 37 Pasho st., died at the Lawrence General hospital Sunday after a short illness.

A resident of Andover for the past 54 years she was born in Saxtons River, Vt., and since making her home here was an attendant of the Free church, a member of Andover Grange, P. of H., Indian Ridge Rebekah lodge, and Andover chapter, 204, O. E. S.

She is survived by her husband and two nephews.

Funeral services were held at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Lundgren funeral home with services by the Rev. Levering Reynolds Jr. Services were also conducted by Indian Ridge lodge with Miss Margaret L. Keith, N. G., Miss Grace Lake, V. G., and Mrs. Antonia Goff, chaplain, in charge. The lodge was represented by a large delegation.

The body was entombed in Spring Grove cemetery. Burial will take place later in Saxtons River cemetery.

## JAMES F. PASHO

James F. Pasho of 35 Pearson st., died Tuesday at the Delaney private hospital in Lowell after a long illness. A native of Andover and a life-long resident of the town he was employed in the Marland mills prior to his retirement.

The funeral will be held from the M. A. Burke funeral home Friday with a high mass of requiem at 9:30 a. m. in St. Augustine's church. Burial will be in St. Augustine's cemetery.

## INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE

The Andover Independents, a team made up of Punchard J. V.'s, defeated the Intermediate League All-Stars 106 to 102. The All-Stars will meet the league champions Holy Cross tonight at 6:45. On the All-Star team will be Davey, Parker, Lucey, Lefebvre, Dwyer, Tyler, Beaulieu, Halbach, Lynch, Sarkisian. Playing for Holy Cross: Halloran, Surette, Graves, Hannon, McCaferty, Riley, Collins, Sullivan.

## BLUEBIRDS TO MEET

The Bluebird group of Littlest Listeners will meet at 10 a. m. Wednesday, Apr. 11, at the library. At the Mothers' meeting there will be further discussion of summer plans.

## Punchard High

By Janet Thompson

## Drama Festival Host

Although Punchard did not participate in the Massachusetts High School drama festival this year, Mervin E. Stevens, ex-president of the drama council, and a number of Punchard students attended the festivities of the twentieth annual contest at Newton high last Saturday.

The two winning Massachusetts high schools, Lynn English with its presentation of "Last Flight Over" and Cambridge high and Latin with a scene from "Victoria Regina," will represent Massachusetts in the New England drama festival. This is to be held at the Rhode Island School of Design in Providence, Apr. 27 and 28.

Punchard will be host to the Massachusetts high school "actors" next year, when the drama festival is held here during the last weekend of March.

Mr. Stevens will serve as a judge of the New Hampshire drama contest at the University of New Hampshire in Durham, Saturday, Apr. 7.

## Guidance Notes

Miss Jeanne T. Bernadin and Bernard M. Kellmurray, guidance directors, are continuing their interviews of juniors and sophomores in regard to next year's courses.

The one major change in the courses is the division of the commercial course into the business course, which includes such subjects as bookkeeping and economics, and the secretarial course, including shorthand, dictation and transcription.

There will be two music courses given at Punchard next year, with Miss Barbara Hill as instructor. One will be a class in music appreciation; the other, in theory and harmony. Each class will be held two periods a week.

## Junior Class Dance

Don't forget to come to the junior class dance, Friday evening, Apr. 6! Bill Burby and his orchestra will provide the music, and refreshments will be served. Dancing is from 8 to 11 p. m. in the Memorial gymnasium.

## Notes

Tryouts for the senior class play, "Good House-keeping," have been held, and the tentative cast will soon be announced.

The fourth marking term will end Friday, Apr. 13, rather than at the end of April. In this manner the two last terms will be evened up, with six and a half weeks in each.

## FILMS AT LIBRARY

Pupils of grades 1 through 6 will have a movie and story program at the library at 3:35 p. m. Monday, Apr. 9. Like other similar programs this should last about an hour and parents wishing to call for children should plan accordingly.

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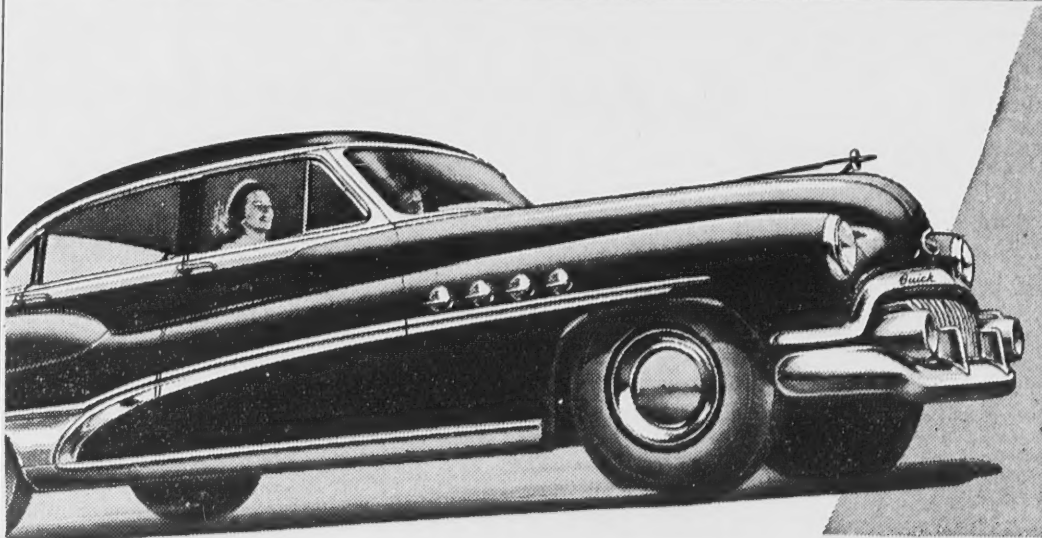
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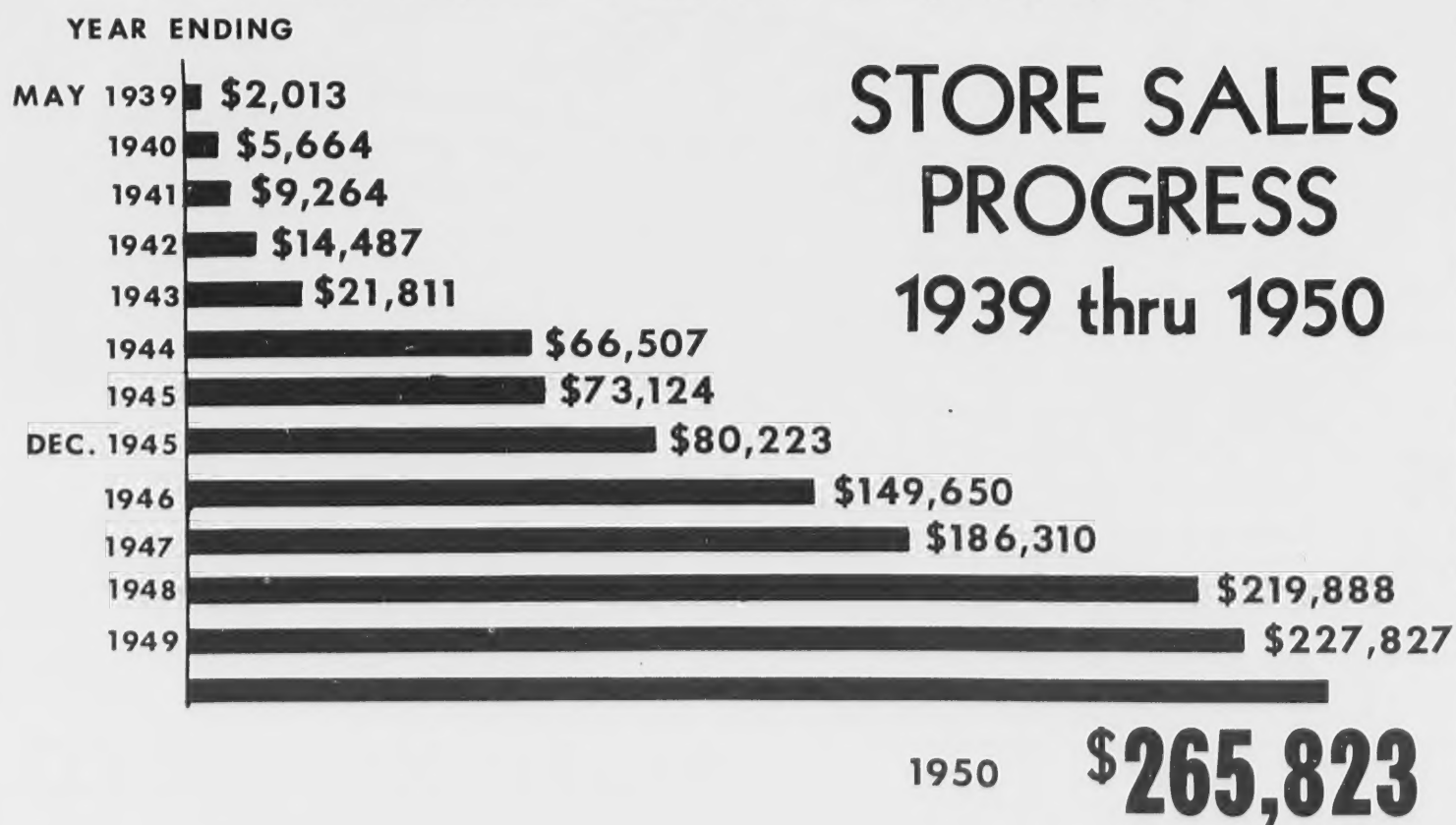
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## Our Annual Bonfire

The frequent appearance of fire apparatus responding to grass fire alarms these spring days is a constant reminder of the great loss this nation suffers annually by fire. Losses for 1950 tallied upward of three quarters of a billion dollars. During this past January they ran well over 68 million.

These figures are beyond the comprehension of most of us. However they do indicate one thing with terrible certainty as far as the individual is concerned. His likelihood of having an unfortunate or tragic experience with fire is all too probable. Hundreds of millions of dollars worth of property cannot go up in smoke year after year, even in a country the size of the United States, without many individuals being touched intimately by loss from fire at sometime in their lives.

When you come in contact with fire prevention activities in your community don't make the mistake of thinking they are for the other fellow.

With the coming of better outdoor weather it is a good time to clean out rubbish that might have accumulated in the cellar, the attic or in closets. Clear it out of the back yard also, and out of places where children often play. Such refuse is not only a fire hazard but a disease breeder.

And as an added safeguard for children against fire and burns it might be well to check over the home for fire hazards during the regular spring house cleaning. Such precaution may keep you from adding your bit to the annual bonfire of American property.

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The corner bookie and his bosses have been revealed as corrupters of police departments, connivers with black markets and racketeers, and allies of every unsavory force that helps breed lawlessness in American life.—Louisville, Ky., Courier-Journal.

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Subsidies, no matter what name they masquerade under, have no place in the American way. They are a sort of subterfuge, in which the real cost of living is camouflaged so as to fool the people. — Omaha, Neb., Journal-Stockman.

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Doctors view the skin as being made of three layers — an outer layer, which is called the cuticle; the next layer, which is the true skin; and finally, the lowest layer where the blood vessels, lymph vessels, and similar structures necessary for the health and life of the skin are located. Here also are some of the glands and the beginnings of the hair follicles.

The skin is constantly rejuvenating itself until old age comes on. The outermost layers are detached as the lower layers produce new cells. Billions of new cells are made every day and billions of dead cells are shed by the body. There are thirty layers of cells constantly being added to from below and shed from above.

One of the functions of the skin is the evaporation of heat from the body so as to maintain a constant temperature. Other glands in the skin secrete an oil or grease which maintains the skin in a flexible condition. On the palms of the hand there are more than 5000 sweat glands for each square inch of surface.

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## Down the Years with The Townsman

### 50 Years Ago—April 1901

Boys Brigade of South church entertains friends with fine program given in vestry.

Thomas Stewart elected captain of Andover baseball team and Thomas Malone manager. Team claims championship of Essex county having defeated its strongest opponents, the West Ends of Lawrence, in \$40 match game last labor day.

Fire in boiler room and engine house on estate of William M. Wood subdued after hour's fight.

L. L. & H. St. Ry. Co. to be given hearing to show cause why its franchise should not be revoked from top of hill to square.

Lawrence G. & E. Co. sells 72 gas ranges March 31, making a total of 335 for month of March.

Henry A. Barnard purchases property of the late George A. Smith on High street. The price paid for house and land was \$4750. An auction sale of the household property included an ancient clock purchased by William H. Higgins.

About 150 men gathered at fire house last Friday night to participate in one of the company's famed steamed clam suppers.

### 25 Years Ago—April 1926

All the property of the late William M. Wood with the exception of "Arden," the Wood homestead, sold to the Phillips corporation of Maine. Transfer is in connection with the purchase of the Park Square building in Boston.

Massive flagpole on bowling green in front of Administration building in Shawsheen square taken down and placed at new country club on Canterbury street where remarkable 18-hole golf course will be ready for play in about two weeks.

"Pat" Jennings resigns as manager of the Shawsheen soccer team. Changes in personnel expected.

Stunt night by Men's club of South church offers variety of entertainment. Orchestra composed of John A. Arnold, Louis S. Finger and John Frederickson plays for community singing led by Eugene M. Weeks. Other entertainers include Frank L. Brigham, Fred G. Cheney, Nathan C. Hamlin, the Rev. E. Victor Bigelow, J. Everett Collins and Allen McKinnon.

Thimble club holds whist party at Square & Compass club. Prize winners were: Mrs. Margaret Wickens, Mrs. Joseph Blunt, Mrs. William Wimpson, Mrs. David May, Mrs. Robert Crockett and Mrs. Leonard Saunders.

Methodist church of Ballardvale observes 75th anniversary with interesting service. John Howell, oldest church member, gives brief history of church.

### 10 Years Ago—April 1941

Eugene V. Lovely named principle of Punchard high to succeed Mr. Hamlin who is retiring. Milton C. Blanchard appointed principal of Junior high to replace Mr. Sherman. William McDonald appointed baseball coach.

David Cunningham of 147 Shawsheen rd., born Dec. 2, 1849, is town's oldest man. He succeeds William C. Coutts, recently deceased, and receives Post cane.

Walter H. Coleman, 86, prominent in electrical business for more than half a century, dies at home on Chestnut st.

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## INTERNATIONAL WHIRLIGIG — By John Fisher

## Russia, Talking Peace, Builds Up Big Army Of Satellite Forces

The free world must be sharply on the alert for a trap, if an eventual Big Four conference takes up arms reduction, demilitarization of Germany and unity of that country.

The artful maneuvering of Andrei A. Gromyko at the Paris trial run of foreign minister deputies already has disclosed the weaving of a Moscow spider's web.

It would be greatly to Stalin's advantage to have a Germany, emptied of occupation troops, which he could re-enter on the slightest provocation. Russia also would gain, should a wave of popular feeling against defense measures, fed by wishful thinking over a proposed Big Four arms limitation, hamper General Eisenhower's NATO program.

### Usual Kremlin Misrepresentation

With this end in view, the Kremlin has commenced another worldwide barrage of misrepresentation to convince the gullible that the Soviet Union desires peace and that—to quote a key speaker at the recent Communist-inspired "World Peace Council" in Berlin—"The United States is feverishly preparing for war, since war is a lucrative business for Wall Street magnates."

As an aftermath of the Berlin "kick-off" meeting, Communist sympathizers in the U. S. A. are to spread an "American Peace Crusade" to block rearmament. Reds in Germany, France and Belgium are to decry the militarization of Germany.

As a matter of truth, the role that Germany will play in the European defense system has not been decided either by Bonn or the Western capitals. General Eisenhower wants no German mercenaries. But the Reds charge that we intend to sign up Nazi army and SS veterans—and are already doing so secretly.

Typical of the latest anti-American spleen shown at the Berlin council is this harangue by Johannes Becher, a German writer: "The corruption that is rife in Western Germany is only one facet of American influence. Another is cultivation of a bellicose ideology, the mentality of a war crusade, a mentality which for its demagoguery and savagery goes beyond anything the Nazis ever invented."

Ruhr workers publicized an appeal for peace, stating: "We do not again want to see wives mourning their husbands, or mothers their sons."

Communist youth organizations operate flying squadrons, traveling over the country equipped with chalk to scrawl on bulletins, walls and sidewalks: "150,000 mercenaries? Without us." "Without us, We've Had Enough."

### Germans Hesitate on Re-arming

Communists exploit the German hesitance to join a rearmament pact. But, according to American observers, were there no Red agitation, the majority of Germans still would not want a German army under current conditions and would not want to serve in such a force. Surveys disclose anti-militaristic opinions among men above 25 years—veterans of the last war—and youths below 25—soldiers of the next.

Moscow hopes to deceive them by advocating a united Germany—thus removing a possibility of civil war on the Korean pattern—and a neutral, demilitarized Germany—safe from involvement in a

conflict between the West and the Soviet bloc.

Should such a Germany evolve—from which all occupation forces, both Allied and Soviet, had been withdrawn by Big Four agreement—the defenseless vacuum at any time could be swiftly invaded by the nearby Russian army.

A second trap set by the Kremlin is the demand by the Russian delegation in Paris for a reduction of armaments by the Soviet Union, Britain, France and the United States—just as the West is building a defense system. Such a halt would be to Stalin's advantage.

The U. S. S. R. had between 12 and 13 million troops at the close of the war. According to Moscow figures, it still has five million men under arms, not counting several hundred thousand MVD troops, who are practically soldiers.

The "catch" in the Moscow proposal of Big Four mutual disarmament is that it leaves the military forces of Russia's European satellites intact, including the big Chinese army, which could be transported to Europe in a war.

The size of the puppet armies is steadily increasing. They are run

### Satellite Forces Left Intact

by imported Soviet marshals, trained on the Soviet military pattern and equipped with Soviet weapons. The troops are being taught the Russian language so they can take orders from their Russian officers and mesh with the Soviet army. In fact, they are fledgling Russian armies.

Stooge General Alexej Cepicka, Czech minister of defense, declared the other day, "During 1950 the army made great progress in acquiring Soviet military art. . . . We shall have success in 1951, if we will more consistently learn

from the Soviet army." Approximately 1,000 members of a Russian military mission are giving once-independent Czech troops a chance to "learn from the Soviet army."

In addition to satellite regular armies are various auxiliary forces. Hungary has a para-military group called "Warriors of Liberty." In colleges, "complex brigades" of students will study six months, according to a Budapest announcement, "to acquire the basic principles of Stalin's brilliant military tactics." Rumanian youth sports outfits are being educated in partisan tactics.

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Members of Punchard High's basketball Boosters club. In the photo are members. Left to right are J. Everett Dwyer, Capt. Dwyer, Wallace Feidle

## Boosters Fete P. H.

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During the evening corduroy jackets were presented by the club to the players, also letters and Eastern Massachusetts tourney pins.

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Members of Punchard High's basketball squad which just closed up its regular season without defeat were presented with jackets and other awards at the banquet given in their honors by the Boosters club. In the photo are members of the club making the presentation to Capt. Charles Dwyer. Left to right are J. Everett Collins, chairman of the club, Harold W. Wennik, Roger Whitcomb, Capt. Dwyer, Wallace Feidler, Vincent Cronin and Coach Kenneth McKiniry.

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B. McTernan, Bob McIntyre, new track coach; Donald D. Dunn, Walter C. Roberts and Coach McKiniry.

Vin Cronin, head basketball coach at Boston university was the principal speaker and with the others who made remarks congratulated the players on their undefeated season.

## Baseball School Opens Saturday

Weather permitting, the first session of the Andover baseball school conducted annually for the younger lads of the town will be held Saturday morning, Apr. 7, on the parking lot in back of Punchard high school.

Charles O. McCullom will be assisted by former Punchard athletes, Jim Bissett, Tom Law and Carl Erler. Registration blanks will be ready and will be passed out at the first meeting.

## BOOK REVIEW GROUP

The book review group of the A. P. C. sorority will meet at the home of Miss Beatrice Henderson, 64 Red Spring rd., tonight at 8 o'clock. Miss Alice Moore will review the refreshing story of "Abbie Aldrich Rockefeller" as told by Mary Ellen Chase in her recent book.

Those who have followed "Adventures in Reading" are asked to telephone Mrs. Frederick B. Noss as to the number of books they have read on or before Apr. 8.



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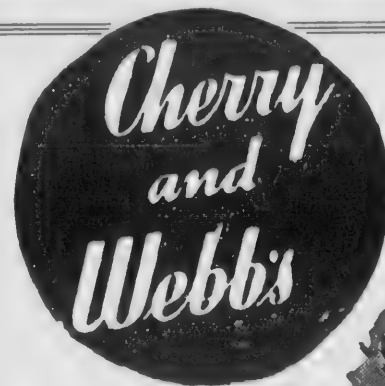
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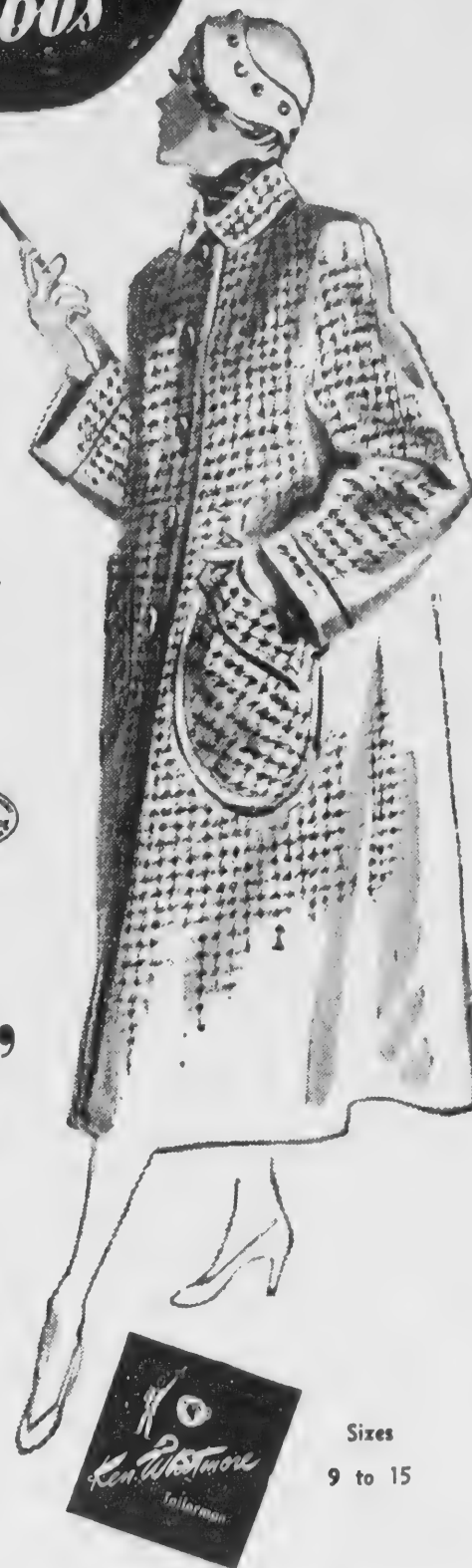


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It is nearly a decade since the gallery has had such an exhibit. Fifty-seven sculptors are represented and the nature of their work varies from the gaunt elm carving "Yankees" by George Lloyd of Troy, N. H., to the mathematically precise plastic construction by Naum Gabo of Waterbury, Ct.

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### Show a Success

A large audience enjoyed the show "The Spirit of Seventy-six," given by the boy scouts of Troop 76, Saturday evening in the community room.

The boys dressed in their regulation scout uniforms were seated on a stage decorated in red, white and blue.

Paul McFarlane served as announcer, Warren Russell, Danny McIntyre, James Butler and Carl Buschmann were the soloists.

The Misses Peggy Perry, Lola Castle, Amy and Joan Robinson offered a novelty number. Miss Beverly Sparks gave a tap dance in a pleasing manner. An instrumental trio was enjoyed with Donald Milligan, clarinet, Carl Buschmann, cornet and Ralph Buschmann at the piano. A novelty song was offered by David Robinson, Frank O'Hara and George

Reed.

The committee men offered several comedy selections which added to the merriment. They were Charles Scobie, Elwyn Russell, Randolph Perry, Dave Robinson, George Grant and the Rev. Paul E. Callahan.

During the closing chorus, little Patricia Butler displayed the American flag with John McIntyre and Billy Butler.

General dancing followed the entertainment. The proceeds of the show will be used by the members of the troop for camping expenses this summer.

James Butler, scoutmaster of Troop 76, deserved much credit for the fine performance given by the members. Mrs. James Butler was pianist for the show and an assistant director. The parents of the boys sold candy and pop corn during the evening.

Those in the chorus included Teddy Sutton, Gary Grant, William Davison, Raymond Youmans, Paul Payne, Ernest Doyle, Richard Lumenello, Fred Hall, Robert Colpitts, William Davis, Willard Ferris and Curtis Blinn.

### Pilgrim Fellowship

The members of the Pilgrim Fellowship of the Union Congregational church were hosts to the Andover Youth Council Sunday evening. The devotional service held in the auditorium was led by Miss Lucille O'Hara, Raymond Nolin, Kenneth Sparks, Miss Lucille Sherry and Miss Joanne Myers. A social hour followed with games being enjoyed in the church vestry and refreshments being served.

### PTA Notes

The meeting of the Ballardvale PTA will be held at 8 p. m. Friday, in Bradlee school. After a short business meeting the group will journey to the Youth Center in Andover where an evening of games will be held. Transportation will be available to all those wishing to attend. Mrs. Franklin Haggerty, Mrs. Alma Marshall and Albert Warner will assist the director of the center, Donald D. Dunn in providing an interesting evening to all those present.

### Planning Entertainment

"The Village Little Symphony," a group of Methuen business and professional men under the direction of Dr. Charles Higgins, will be presented by members of the Methodist church at 8 p. m., Friday, Apr. 13, in the community room. Miss Grace Farrington will be the soloist. There will be other specialties assuring all of an enjoyable evening.

### Enters Army

Phillip Webb son of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Webb of Woburn st., who left for duty with the army in February, is stationed at camp Atterbury, Indiana for his basic training.

### Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Nicoll and daughters left Monday for Texas where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Nicoll and family.

Mrs. James Green of Tewksbury st. is in charge of the tickets for the entertainment to be offered by the Methodist church Apr. 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Myers of Clark rd. entertained Mrs. Martha Brady of Malden and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Kolb of Akinson, N.H., Sunday.

Mrs. George Keith is ill at her home on Tewksbury st.

John Petty, a senior at the University of Vermont, is enjoying his spring vacation at the home of his parents on Center st.

Dr. A. H. Strait will have charge of the Communion worship service at the Methodist church, Sunday Apr. 15.

## Phone Co. Asks Rate Increase

In order to offset recent increases in expenses, principally in wages and taxes, which were not and could not have been considered by the department of public utilities in the rate proceedings of 1949, the New England Telephone and Telegraph Co. has proposed certain rate increases totalling \$5,300,000 a year. In its petition to the department of public utilities last Friday the company pointed out that this amount is necessary to bring its rate of return to the minimum level established by the Massachusetts Supreme Judicial court in its recent decision.

At the same time the company estimated that refunds to customers, which are to be based on 1949 expense levels, would amount approximately \$2,000,000 for the past two-year period. The company further said that final determination of the amount and the method of distribution of the refunds will be made by the department of public utilities.

Company officials pointed out that the monthly base rates for residence customers would remain unchanged under the proposed schedules.

Changes in monthly base rates for business customers would range from 50 cents to \$1.00. Other proposed changes are a 5-cent increase in certain toll rates for distances in excess of eight miles, elimination of volume discounts for additional message units in excess of 500 per month, and increased charges for private switchboards, trunk lines, and miscellaneous special services.

Commenting on the filing, Hugh W. Macdonald, Massachusetts general manager, said:

"We are prepared to comply with the order of the Massachusetts department of public utilities as it may be modified by the supreme court's decision. Any refunds would be determined on the basis of 1949 expense levels, which reflect wages and taxes prevailing during that year. Based on 1949 expenses the maximum refund the department may order will be slightly in excess of \$2,000,000 for the period beginning May 1949.

"Today's expenses, however, are much higher than they were in 1949. Last October wage increases amounting to \$3,500,000 per year were negotiated and made effective for all telephone employees in Massachusetts. Unlike many other businesses, when we increase telephone wages, we increase the biggest item in the cost

of doing business.

"Taxes make up our second largest item of expense and the federal income tax rate since 1949 has increased from 38 per cent to 47 per cent. During the same period unemployment compensation taxes have increased from 5 per cent to 2.7 per cent.

"These substantial increases in wages and taxes have not yet been reflected in telephone rates and have resulted in earnings that have fallen below the minimum found by the court. When telephone expenses rise, telephone rates must go up too, in order to maintain the service at the higher cost levels.

"To offset these increased costs we need an increase of about 4½ per cent, or \$5,300,000, per year, in our operating revenues. Including this increase, the average overall cost of service to the user would be up about 18 per cent since 1939. This is far less than the 82 per cent increase in consumer prices generally for the same period."

### GRADE SCHOOL TEA

Andover Central PTA will sponsor the last in its series of teas for the 1950-1951 school year Wednesday, Apr. 11, from 3 to 4:30 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to parents and friends of all children in the Stowe school and in Miss Hallsteen's grade 5 in John Dove school to attend an open house and tea.

Lack of facilities prevents a formal program. However, parents are invited to visit the classrooms to meet teachers and other parents and to see a display of the children's work.

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### GREAT BOOKS DISCUSSION

The next meeting of the Great Books discussion group will be at 7:30 p. m., Tuesday, Apr. 10, in the library. Those who plan to attend should read Aristotle's "Politics," Book 1.

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## WEST PARISH

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### Senior Womans' Union

The Senior Womans' union met at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday. Mrs. Arthur Lewis, vice president, presided in the absence of the president. The second mile gifts were presented and the service of dedication was in charge of Mrs. Richard Williams chairman. A play "Live in Action" was presented with the following taking parts: Mrs. Carl Stevens, Mrs. William Corliss, Mrs. William Trow, Mrs. Richard Williams and Mrs. Arthur Lewis.

### Grange Notes

The Help Along club of the Andover Grange will meet tonight at the home of Mrs. Alex Henderson, Argilla rd.

Andover Grange, 183, will meet at 8 p. m. Tuesday. The third and fourth degrees will be exemplified at this time and supper will be served at 6:30 o'clock. Pomona Grange will hold their April meeting Saturday, Apr. 7, with Bradford Grange.

### Church Notes

At the regular meeting of the Eager Beaver 4-H club, the following were elected to office for 1951: President, Glenn Peatman, vice president, Robert Nicoll, secretary, William Nicoll, treasurer, Joe Hall.

Several members of the teaching staff of the West church Sunday school are planning to attend the teachers training course this spring.

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### 88th Birthday

Mrs. Roscoe K. Cole of 115 Elm st., who was 88 years old Tuesday, Apr. 3, was tendered a birthday dinner party Sunday at the Manning Manse in Billerica. Mrs. Cole's five children with their husbands and wives were present as were some of her grandchildren on this memorable occasion. She received numerous gifts of flowers, cards, and a very handsomely decorated birthday cake. Those present were: Mrs. Ada Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph K. Cole of Methuen, Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Smith of Reading, Miss Constance Cole, Barbara Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bradford of Wrentham, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cole of Exeter, N. H. Mrs. Cole is one of the oldest members of the South church.

### Junior Woman's Union

Guest night will be observed Thursday evening, Apr. 12, by the Junior Womans' union of the West church. Mrs. Albion Johnson is chairman of the supper committee and reservations should be telephoned her by Monday night at 2319-W. Other members of the supper committee are Mrs. Charles Sparks, Mrs. Robert Marland and Mrs. W. S. Titcomb. The speaker of the evening is to be Carl de Suze news commentator of station WBZ who will give a travelogue of his recent trip to France and Spain. An interesting evening is in store for all who attend.

### Chimes Committee

A meeting of the chimes committee of the West church will be held in the vestry at 7:30 p. m. Friday, Apr. 13.

### Personals

James Calder has returned to his studies at Purdue university, Lafayette, Ind., after spending the spring vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Calder, Chandler rd.

Miss Margaret Dick of High Plain rd. spent the past week visiting in Yorktown and Williamsburg, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Slate of Argilla rd., spent the weekend with friends in Leominster.

Mrs. Ernest Fieldhouse of River rd., is a patient at the Baker Memorial hospital, Boston.

Mrs. William Stewart of High Plain road, is enjoying a few days vacation with friends in Waterville, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred French of Eaton Center, N. H., were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stevens, Virginia rd.

Miss Ruth Ann Chadwick, a sophomore at Mt. Holyoke college, So. Hadley, is spending the spring vacation at her parents' home on Lowell street.

Little Miss Jeanne Mosher has returned to her home in Douglaston, Long Island, N.Y., after spending the past week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Mosher.

Miss Shirley Stevens of Virginia rd. attended the dog show held in Manchester, N. H., on Saturday where she entered one of her collies.

Ray Doyle has returned to Vermont academy, Saxtons River, Vt., after enjoying the spring vacation at his home on Chandler rd.

William McKeown has returned to his studies at Hobart college, Geneva, N. Y., after enjoying a respite at his home on Lowell st.

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## Sorority To Hear Interesting Talk

"Yankee Double Talk" will be the subject of Mrs. William Suzan's talk to the Alpha Phi Chi sorority and its invited guests, the North Andover sorority. This meeting will be held at 8 p. m. Apr. 12, in the South church vestry. Mrs. Susan will spin many a yarn from fact, fancy, legend and history that underlies the familiar expressions we use time and time again as "pig in a poke." In this hour of entertaining and fascinating information the audience will discover why the auctioneer says "Going, going, gone" and who had the first "ax to grind." This is an open meeting and anyone who is interested in hearing Mrs. Susan will be welcome.

Refreshments will be served by Mrs. Robert Aucterlonie, chairman; Mrs. Charles Cole, Miss May Elander, Mrs. William Watson, Mrs. Howard Johnson, Miss Emma Briggs.

### C. D. OF A. PEACE RALLY

Members of Court St. Monica, C. D. of A. are planning to attend the peace rally which the state organization will hold May 1, in Boston.

### NAMED POLICE CHIEF

The selectmen of Wells, Me., have named William R. Shaw, former Andover police officer, as their chief of police. Shaw, who was on the local force 14 years, is in business in Wells. The appointment

is a provisional one. It will be made permanent after six months' satisfactory service.

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## SQUARE DANCE

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Here are all the members of the cub packs in Andover as they turned out last Saturday afternoon to take part in the program presented at the Case Memorial cage at Phillips academy in the

fifth annual Scout-o-ral conducted by the scouts, and cubs of Andover. In the rear are the Rev. Levering Reynolds Jr., and some of the other scout officials who attended the contests.

### PIKE SCHOOL

The Pike school is having a food sale from 2.30 to 5 p. m. Saturday, Apr. 14, at the school. This is a project of the pupils for the athletic program and many of those in the upper grades are preparing the food to be sold. There will be cakes, cookies, pies and candy for sale.

### Scouts Hold Fifth Scout-O-Ral

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missioner, Walter C. Caswell, district chairman, greeted the cubs, scouts and explorers and then turned the events over to the Knight Eagles, the Eagle scout society of the North Essex district, who ran off the scout and explorer events.

Scores of adults were present and enjoyed the competitive tests in signaling, first aid, compass, knot tying, and string burning, using flint and steel for fire building.

The cub program was directed by Robert Domingue, cubmaster, and Howard Young, assistant cubmaster. The flag of troop 72 was decorated in honor of Roger Dea, assistant scoutmaster, now in the U. S. army.

Results of the events were as follows: Boy scouts, 1st prize, Apache patrol of troop 72; 2nd, Screaming Eagle patrol of troop 72; 3rd, Bat. patrol of troop 75; most orderly and disciplined troop, troop 76.

Explorer scouts: Cobra and Woodcock crews of post 76 tied for first prize; Cub scouts, first prize ribbons were won by the 10-year old "Blues," the 9-year old "Blues," and the 8-year old "Greens."

The scouts and explorers were presented with 1951 scout-o-ral emblems. The cub scouts received rulers with "Andover Cub Scouts" inscribed on each.

The units competing were: post, 72, troop 72, and pack 72 of the

Free church; troop 75 of St. Augustine's church and troop 76 of the Ballardvale PTA.

This is the fifth time that Phillips academy has acted as host to the scout-o-ral. Other interested organizations contributed soft drinks, candy and gum.

Among the scouters present were Fred Schaberg, Joseph McCarthy, Francis Kelly, Col. Frank Killilea, William Edwards, Howard Johnson, Arnold Schofield, Robert Domingue, Howard Young, James Butler, Walter Caswell, Calvin Metcalf, John Souter Jr., James Tammany, the Rev. Levering Reynolds Jr., Daniel Worcester, Arthur Schwarzenberg, Harvey H. Bacon, scout executive, and John Ramsden, acting council commissioner.

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## LEGAL NO



Proposals will be received by the Selectmen until 7:30 p.m., Monday, April 16, 1951 for the purchase of the following Town Property:

1. 1923 Pierce-Arrow Truck, now located at the Central Fire Station.

2. Barn at the Town Infirmary, to be completely removed from site.

3. Lot of land on East side of Camel Road, 100 foot frontage, approximately 3,500 sq. ft. in area, adjoining no. 77 Camel Road.

4. Combined figure, including items 2 and 3. If the barn is to be remodeled for use as a dwelling, plans and specifications must be approved by the Selectmen.

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Roy E. Hardy  
J. Everett Collins  
Sidney P. White  
Selectmen of Andover

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Docket NO. 233,627  
PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of BARTLETT H. HAYES late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by MARJORIE S. HAYES, of Andover, in said County.

and HENRY R. HAYES of New Canaan in the County of Fairfield and State of Connecticut, praying that they be appointed executors thereof without giving a bond on their bonds, ALFRED L. HAYES the other executor named in and will having deceased.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the sixteenth day of April 1951, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, first Judge of said Court, this twenty-second day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-one.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register  
29-5-12

Mr. and Mrs. Russell C. Stevens and family formerly of Whittier St., are left town to make their home in Cleveland.

Joseph H. Smith and children are returned to their home in Exackie, N. Y., after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Smith of Main St.

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## Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Docket No. 233,641

## PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of MARTHA C. ROBINSON (wife of FRANK A. ROBINSON) late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by FRANK A. ROBINSON of Andover in said County, praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the sixteenth day of April 1951, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-one.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register  
5-12-19

## Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Docket No. 185,934

## PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of MARY B. ERVING, otherwise known as MARY BELL ERVING late of Andover in said County deceased.

The executors of the will of said deceased have presented to said Court for allowance their third and final account.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Haverhill before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-third day of April 1951, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-one.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register  
5-12-19

## INTERNATIONAL

## WHIRLIGIG

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## Swaggering Puppet

## Troops in Mufti

An armed militia in mufti, described in official bulletins as "Peace and Fatherland Defenders," is being recruited in Bulgaria. They are to snoop on factory workers, suspected of anti-Communist sentiments, and to supplement police defense against insurrection, while the Bulgarian regular army is moved away from cities to the Yugoslav frontier.

General Peter Panchevski, defense minister, who spent the last twenty years in Russia and fought in the Soviet army in World War II, tried to whip up a fighting spirit in his soldiers by warning, "The Balkan tools of American inciters of war and Tito's robber gang are capable of any provocations."

If these swaggering, "trigger happy" puppet troops with their auxiliary militias, swollen police forces and guerrilla reserves continue to grow, Soviet might would increase, even were Moscow to agree to limit Russia's own military expansion. Satellites might even invade Yugoslavia and Germany, and go on to Italy, France and the Low Countries without needing Russian troops.

Cancer Campaign  
Drive Opens

The month of April has been designated as cancer control month during which time a national campaign will be conducted to obtain \$14,565,000. The Massachusetts division must raise \$530,000 which will be used to finance its program of research, education and service.

Cancer is the second ranking cause of death in the United States. Here in Massachusetts more than 8500 persons will die of it this year.

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Irregular bleeding or discharge from any natural body opening.

Progressive change in color or size of a mole, wart or birthmark.

Persistent and unexplained indigestion.

Persistent hoarseness, unexplained cough, or difficulty in swallowing.

Any change in normal bowel habits.

## HOME FOR VACATION

Miss Joyce Demers, a senior at Bradford Junior college, Bradford, is at home for the spring vacation. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter V. Demers of 9 Union st.

## BAKERY SALE

The Bon Secours Hospital auxiliary will hold a bakery sale at the Lawrence Gas & Electric Co., store, Main st., Saturday, May 5, beginning at 10 a. m.

## VISITING HOME

Ensign Robert S. Hamilton, having returned from several weeks' duty with the Sixth Task Fleet in the Mediterranean, is on leave at the home of his mother, Mrs. Andrew Hamilton, 8 Harding st.

## JOINS FRAT

Allen Rice Wood, son of Harold Wood of 13 Summer st., and a freshman at Allegheny college, Meadville, Pa., was initiated recently into Alpha chapter of Delta Tau Delta. He is a graduate of Punchard high school.

## VETERANS' MEETING

All veterans are invited to the meeting of the Legion post tonight at 8 o'clock when Francis P. Markey, veterans' service officer, will discuss veterans' benefits and legislation. There will be a question and answer period.

## FIELD GLASSES NEEDED

Any residents of the town having a pair of field glasses they would be willing to lend for use by the air-ground observer corps are requested to contact the civil defense office before Wednesday, Apr. 11.

## ON CANCER COMMITTEE

Mrs. Claude M. Fuess has been appointed a member of the women's special gifts committee for the 1951 fund-raising drive of the Massachusetts division of the American Cancer society.

## THEATRE EXHIBIT

"Theatre, From Ritual to Broadway" an exhibition prepared by the editors of Life will be on view at the library until Apr. 12. Over the last decade Life's journalist-photographers have produced an unsurpassed record of the American stage. This rich source of dramatic material forms the nucleus of the exhibit. There are 25 panels which cover various aspects of the theatre.

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Comdr. McMillan will illustrate his lecture with colored motion pictures taken last summer on his annual trip to the Far North.

Proceeds of the lecture will go to the camping fund which makes it possible for every boy scout and explorer in the church to go to Camp Onway for a week during the summer. Tickets are now on sale and may be obtained from any one of the boys.

## Real Misery,

ON THE SUBURBAN train, Jones had just read a long letter he had received that day from his old home town. Mellowed by the happy memories it conjured, he turned to the stranger beside him and genially remarked, "Did you ever get a letter that brought back visions of the past?"

Stark misery stared out of the other's eyes.

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This Is America 1:50 4:45 7:40

Friday, Saturday—April 13, 14

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## MOTHERS' CLUB

The Mothers' club will hold its regular business meeting at 2 p.m. Thursday, April 5, at the home of the president, Mrs. George F. Symonds, Beech circle. The committee in charge: Mrs. Harold Cates, Mrs. Alex Blamire and Mrs. Albert Cole Sr.

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## Town Officers Re - Appointed

A number of annual appointments of town officers were made by the selectmen at Monday night's meeting. They included the following:

Wilson J. Crawford, janitor of the town house, public weigher in charge of town scales, deputy sealer of weights and measures;

Mary C. Edmonds, matron of the town infirmary; Walter C. Tomlinson, town counsel; Ralph W. Coleman; building inspector; Ralph A. Bailey, registrar of voters for three years; Francis P. Markey, veterans' service agent;

Arthur W. Cole, welfare agent; George C. Napier, town accountant for three years; Edward P. Hall, member of the board of appeals for three years; Leon A. Field and Walter C. Tomlinson, associate member of the board of appeals for one year;

Roy E. Hardy and John J. Driscoll, assistant building inspectors; H. Sherwood Hardy and Carl H. Stevens surveyors of bark and lumber; George A. Dane, dog officer; G. Richard Abbott, moth superintendent; Hartwell Abbot, animal inspector.

Other appointments made were: Special police: Roy E. Hardy, J. Everett Collins, Sidney P. White, Charles E. Buchan, Charles M. Newton, George B. Brown, Robert Williams, Fred L. Collins, Richard O'Brien, William G. McDermitt, Stanley Chlebowski, Antonia Bellia, Alex Ness, John Ashton, Frank Connolly, Frank Quinn, David R. Lawson;

Charles F. Emerson, Wilson J. Crawford, Archibald MacLaren, Walter N. Gordon, Henry Todd, George W. Barrett, Arthur Hofmann, Carl Stevens, Albert E. Foss, Frederick W. Gould, Harold Parshley, Albert Buckley, Joseph Todd, Wesley O. Light, August Wirtz, Elzeur Desrosiers;

Bessie Goldsmith, William Hennessey, Philip A. Cox, William A. Roman, Stafford A. Lindsay, Jesse E. West, Charles Flanagan, Winthrop K. White, Forrest Noyes, Alexander Beedie, Montville E. Peck, William H. Midgley, C. Arnold Orde, Robert Dobbie and Louis McIntyre.

Public weighers: Bernard L. McDonald, Benjamin Jaques, Jerome Cross, Herbert Auty, Paul Monette, Mary Mahoney, Carolyn Jordan, Wendell W. Kydd, Vincent P. Hickey, Glen Noble, Walter Swenson, Alexander Brown, Arthur Reason, Ralph Baker, Timothy Madden, George Williams, Gordon Coutts, Charles H. Murnane, Fred J. Doyle, Elwood Shuter, John J. Provasoli.

The N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co. was granted permission to remove four poles on Greenwood road near North street.

The utility companies were granted joint locations on existing poles, five on Lovejoy road near Dascomb road, two on Haggett's Pond road southerly of Lowell street, and one on Highland road near S. Main street.

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This is the social committee of the Junior class of Punchard High school which is perfecting plans to assure a good time for all who attend the Junior class spring frolic and dance to be held in the Memorial gym Friday evening. Seated is Betty Born, chairman, and from left to right, James Murray, Raeburn Hathaway, Richard Bramley, Karolyn Erler and Alan Wilson.

(Look Photo)

## Swanton Heads Housing Board

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fall but these were immediately replaced by new ones. The authority still has a large number of applications on file.

In its report the authority says:

"The year 1950 was not all smooth sailing. The construction contract called for completion in the spring, but many delays were encountered. The contractor ran into both supervisory and financial difficulties, and final completion was not made until October although some tenants moved in on October 1. The contractor is still making minor adjustments, but as a whole, the construction has been completed in a satisfactory manner and these homes will be available for families of Andover veterans for many years to come. Special commendation is due to James Gordon, the authority's supervisor of construction, who brought about a well built job in spite of the difficulties encountered.

"The development is for families of Andover veterans of low income. For first admission, the

families may not have an income in excess of \$3,250 if there are two or fewer minor dependents and \$3,500 if there are three or more minor dependents. The families now living in the development have a margin for increase in income before any action is taken by the authority as to eviction or rent based entirely without subsidy. Rents will go up as income goes up.

The authority has selected James E. Manning, an Andover veteran, to act as manager and maintenance man with an office at the development. He is collecting rents and is taking care of all maintenance problems.

In closing the authority extended a word of appreciation to Francis P. Markey, veterans' service officer, and his assistant, Mrs. Hitchens, for their cooperation.

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## New Building Continues Brisk

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Permits for the month were issued as follows:

New buildings, residence and garage; Francis and Eileen Bailey, North st., Robert D. Henderson, Walnut ave., Agnes Maddox, River rd., Catherine Lynch, Chandler rd., Mr. and Mrs. John J. Higgins, Lowell st., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Humphrey, Foster circle.

Residence: John Doyle, Reservation rd., W. Shirley Barnard, Ripley place.

Garage: Albert Cole, Foster circle; Napoleon and Gertrude Potvin, 35 Webster st., Mrs. Ida Vaillancourt, 52 North st., Lloyd and Corabell Cameron, Red Spring rd.

Additions and alterations: Howard Johnson, S. Main st., change windows; Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Emmons, 8 Stratford rd., enclosure porch; Michael and Eva Lynch, 26 Shawsheen rd., put up fence; John Bolton Jr., Haggett's pond rd., remodel garage; Andover Coal Co., Railroad ave., tear down building; Jessie B. Poland, 34 Union st., make apartment.

## Births...

ZINK—A daughter, Nancy Foss, at the Lawrence General hospital Mar. 28, to Mr. and Mrs. George E. Zink (Sally Youmans). Mr. Zink is a teacher at Brooks school, North Andover. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Alvin J. Zink of Chester st., and Dr. and Mrs. Ray S. Youmans of Dascomb rd.

LEE—A daughter, Betty Ann, at the Lawrence General hospital Mar. 28, to Mr. and Mrs. Donald W. Lee Jr., (Grace Ricard) of 13 High st.

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## Riderless Horse Sends Police On Fruitless Quest

Visions of a young girl having been thrown from a horse and lying seriously injured on some remote bridal path sent police scurrying on a hunt Saturday evening along highways frequented by horseback riders after a horse, fully saddled but without a rider, was reported straying on Central st.

Police learned that the animal had been hired about 11.30 a. m. at the Andover Riding stable by a young girl who said she would use it for about two hours. It is not the custom to rent a horse to a rider without a companion but owing to a misunderstanding the animal was rented to the girl by a lad who was at the stables at the time.

When the horse had not been returned at 4.45 p. m., police were notified and the stray animal was reported on Central street about the same time.

Feeling that the rider had been thrown, police cruisers were quickly pressed into service to search along outlying roads but no trace of the girl was found. As no one had been reported missing by Monday morning police felt that the girl had kept the horse longer than the means of her purse would permit and then abandoned it.

## First Aid Course For Aux. Police

Members of Andover's auxiliary police force that has been recruited in connection with civilian defense, started this week to take their first aid course.

Instructors for this phase of their work are Walter Gierasch, Kenneth Minard, James Grew and Frederick Allis Jr. The course will be given two nights a week in the court room at the town house.

Those taking the courses are: Murray L. Mealey, Robert Hutton, Winston Blake, Harold Jackson, Leonard Mixon, Lawrence Hannon, Raymond Mowat, Joseph Brouillard, Russell Seamans, Charles Whiteside, Jack Vandenberg, Arthur Marcille, John Roman;

Thomas Eldred, Robert Volker, Sylvester Richardson, Roland Masse, John M. Lynch, Leo Sheibler, Charles Lundgren, John T. Riley, Joseph Horan, James Bissett, Robert Dunn, Melvin Richard, William Doherty;

James Doherty, George Melville, Russell Berthel, Rudolph Johnson, Frederick Gould, Donald W. Hill, John F. Moriarty, Timothy McCarthy;

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